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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: NOTICE OF RESCISSION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF AD ORDER ON OIL COUNTRY TUBULAR GOODS FROM JAPAN (COMMERCE CASE A-588-835/CBP CASE A-588-215/A-588-216)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: NOTICE OF RESCISSION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF AD ORDER ON OIL COUNTRY TUBULAR GOODS FROM JAPAN (COMMERCE CASE A-588-835/CBP CASE A-588-215/A-588-216)

1. THE ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON OIL COUNTRY TUBULAR GOODS (OCTG) FROM JAPAN (COMMERCE CASE NUMBER: A-588-835, CBP CASE NUMBERS: A-588-215/588-216), COVERING THE PERIOD 08/01/2005 THROUGH 07/31/2006, HAS BEEN RESCINDED BECAUSE THE FIRMS LISTED BELOW HAD NO REVIEWABLE SALES OF OCTG DURING THE PERIOD OF REVIEW: JFE STEEL CORPORATION (JFE), NKK TUBES (NKK), NIPPON STEEL CORPORATION (NSC) AND SUMITOMO METAL INDUSTRIES, LTD (SMI).

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2. YOU ARE TO ASSESS ANTIDUMPING DUTIES ON OCTG PRODUCED BY ABOVE LISTED FOUR COMPANIES (JFE, NKK, NSC AND SMI), AND ENTERED, OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION DURING THE

PERIOD LISTED BELOW AT THE ALL OTHERS RATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMMERCE'S CLARIFICATION OF ITS ASSESSMENT REGULATION ON MAY 6, 2003 (68 FR 23954) CONCERNING SALES MADE BY INTERMEDIARY COMPANIES (RESELLERS). THE ALL OTHERS RATE FOR OCTG FROM JAPAN IS 44.20 PERCENT.

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- 3. NOTICE OF THE LIFTING OF SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF THE MERCHANDISE FOR THE PERIOD LISTED ABOVE OCCURRED WITH THE PUBLICATION OF THE RESCISSION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW (72 FR 43235) ON AUGUST 3, 2007.
- 4. ON MAY 31, 2007, THE U.S. INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
 DETERMINED THAT REVOKING THE EXISTING ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDERS ON
 IMPORTS OF OCTG FROM ARGENTINA, ITALY, JAPAN, KOREA AND MEXICO
 WOULD BE UNLIKELY TO LEAD TO CONTINUATION OR RECURRENCE OF
 MATERIAL INJURY. AS A RESULT OF THE COMMISSION'S NEGATIVE
 DETERMINATIONS, THE EXISTING ORDERS ON OCTG IMPORTS FROM THESE
 COUNTRIES WOULD BE REVOKED EFFECTIVE JULY 25, 2006 (SEE MESSAGE
 # 7179202, DATED JUNE 28, 2007). THEREFORE, DO NOT ASSESS
 ANTIDUMPING DUTY DUTIES ON ANY ENTRIES OF SUBJECT MERCHANDISE ON
 OR AFTER JULY 25, 2006.
- 5. THE ASSESSMENT OF ANTIDUMPING DUTIES BY U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (CBP) ON ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930. SECTION 778 REQUIRES THAT CBP PAY INTEREST ON OVERPAYMENTS, OR ASSESS INTEREST ON UNDERPAYMENTS, OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES. THE INTEREST PROVISIONS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO CASH OR BONDS POSTED AS ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER. INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED

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FROM THE DATE OF PAYMENT OF ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION. THE RATE AT WHICH SUCH INTEREST IS PAYABLE IS THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD.

6. UPON ASSESSMENT OF ANTIDUMPING DUTIES, CBP SHOULD REQUIRE THAT THE IMPORTER PROVIDE A REIMBURSEMENT STATEMENT AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 351.402(f)(2) OF THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS. THE IMPORTER SHOULD PROVIDE THE REIMBURSEMENT STATEMENT PRIOR TO

LIQUIDATION OF THE ENTRY. IF THE IMPORTER CERTIFIES THAT IT HAS AN AGREEMENT WITH THE MANUFACTURER, PRODUCER, SELLER, OR EXPORTER TO BE REIMBURSED ANTIDUMPING DUTIES, CBP SHOULD DOUBLE THE ANTIDUMPING DUTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ABOVE-REFERENCED REGULATION. ADDITIONALLY, IF THE IMPORTER DOES NOT PROVIDE THE REIMBURSEMENT STATEMENT PRIOR TO LIQUIDATION, CBP SHOULD PRESUME REIMBURSEMENT AND DOUBLE THE ANTIDUMPING DUTIES DUE.

- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC OR INTERESTED PARTIES, PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTHAM AT OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0984 OR (202) 482-3577 RESPECTIVELY. (GENERATED BY O6:JJZ).
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

CATHY SAUCEDA

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